



## Bona® **R540** Moisture Barrier/Primer

The proven way to ease moisture issues quickly!





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- √ Helps mitigate potential moisture issues, like cupping<sup>†</sup>, originating from below the membrane, in new and existing construction
- When used as a primer, one coat increases adhesion over sealed subfloor systems, ie. AdvanTech™
- Can be used as a vapor retarder in place of felt paper for wooden subfloors up to 20% MC
- One coat can be used for damp proofing concrete subfloors up to 95% RH & 18 lbs\*
- Dries fast allowing nail-down installation immediately
- No more tears in paper or seams to be concerned with continuous film offers more uniform coverage and moisture protection
- Easy to apply rolls on
- Suited for underfloor heating<sup>‡</sup>

Bona R540 is a one-component, roll-on moisture membrane specially designed to mitigate vapor transmission on absorbent and non-absorbent subfloors, including Gypsum-based underlayments. The polyurethane reactive primer is compatible with the entire Bona Adhesive System.

## PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS:

Transparent brown Color:

Viscosity: Thin

Base:

Density: 9.51 lbs / gallon

VOC Content: Zero VOC Odor: Solvent

Flash Point: Closed cup: >410°F (>210°C)

1-year from date of manufacture in unopened, Stability:

Polyisocyanate Prepolymer

original packaging

Packaging: 5-liter jugs

## TECHNICAL DATA:

Rolls easily with 3/16" nap mohair roller. Do not exceed Spreadability:

1/4" nap mohair or other shed resistant roller.

Dry Time: 1-16 hours. See application information on jug or

Technical Data Sheet

Cure Time: 24 hours

Coverage: When used as a Vapor Retarder on unsealed wooden (per 5 L jug) subfloors: 1 coat at 300-400 square feet

When used as a **Primer** (Adhesion Promoter)

on sealed subfloor systems, ie. AdvanTech™: 1 coat

at 400-600 square feet

When used as a **Moisture Barrier** (up to 18 lbs. / 95% RH<sup>‡</sup>) on **concrete:** 1 coat at 400 square feet (when used with Bona 1250 or 1500 trowel and any Bona Silane Adhesive); 2 coats at 400 square feet (for any other installation not meeting the above criteria)

- 1. Plywood or concrete subfloor
- 2. Bona R540 Moisture Barrier/Primer
- 3. Bona R859 or Bona R851 Adhesive or Bona R850T
- **4.** Flooring



Only one coat needed when used with 1250G or 1500G trowel and any Bona Silane Adhesive. Two coats required in all other installations when the above criteria is not met.

<sup>†</sup> Can help prevent cupping caused by excessive subfloor moisture.